

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEBRASKA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, )  
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                                Plaintiff,      )      8:19CR203  
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                                vs.                 )  
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GORDON MARCELLUS,        )      ORDER  
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                                Defendant.     )

This matter is before the court on the defendant's unopposed Motion to Continue Trial [31]. Counsel needs additional time to resolve the matter short of trial. For good cause shown,

**IT IS ORDERED** that the Motion to Continue Trial [31] is granted, as follows:

1. The jury trial, now set for January 27, 2020, is continued to **March 30, 2020**.
2. In accordance with 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(A), the court finds that the ends of justice will be served by granting this continuance and outweigh the interests of the public and the defendant in a speedy trial. Any additional time arising as a result of the granting of this motion, that is, the time between **today's date and March 30, 2020**, shall be deemed excludable time in any computation of time under the requirement of the Speedy Trial Act. Failure to grant a continuance would deny counsel the reasonable time necessary for effective preparation, taking into account the exercise of due diligence. 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(A) & (B)(iv).

**DATED: January 24, 2020.**

**BY THE COURT:**

**s/ Michael D. Nelson  
United States Magistrate Judge**